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Precious Darling:-

Just received your darling letter of Tuesday and, honey love, I do hope the mail will come more regularly. I suppose the reason why the mail is irregular is because the railroad companies want their property back and therefore are trying to make the people believe that Government ownership is not what it is cracked up to be. But, Tootsie, there is no use of talking any more about it as it has already happened and now must hope & pray that I won't get more "mailess" days than are necessary.

Honey love, I know my letters were quite blue, and I can assure you that that was the way I felt. I don't think I'll ever be happy if you are not with me. I know, too, honey love, how much you suffer, on account of this separation, and so, therefore, it must not be long before you come here. When I begin thinking that its only 6 weeks from the time that you will be here, I feel a satisfied emotion coming over me and feel a new spirit coming over me. I do so hope that you are here already! You simply can't imagine how I dread to be alone! I simply pace up and down like a wild man. Restless, as even a man can be! Even when I look for rooms, or furniture, I get that terrible, longing feeling, that I just don't know what to do. Believe me, love, I'm will hug, kiss, and love, love you so much, that you will want me to quit! I miss those hugs and kisses and that pent up love so, that I don't think I'll ever want to stop! Not me, believe your "lil' ole hubby"!

Honey love, I want you to remember this. Never, in all my life will I ever forget your darling birthday, or our wedding anniversary. You precious darling baby mine, on the 15th I made a notation on my desk calender to buy your gift on Monday, the 17th. I made that notation the very first day I opened my office, so you see, honey love, that you were, are, and ever will be in my thoughts. I can assure you, love heart, you will never have occasion to be hurt on that score, for I love you so much, and do so want you to be happy! How, precious sweetheart did you like my gift? I suppose by now you have it. I thought, after I sent it to you that perhaps that locket is too large and then perhaps on that ground you won't like it. I bought it for I've seen so many women wear it in Memphis, of practically the same size. I'm so do hope you will like it and hope you will wear it in the best of luck and use the camera with luck and best of health. How do you like the camera? I did so want to please you.

Darling, though the first two weeks of this month I made out so nicely, this week was bad. I made practically nothing, but as I said before, in one of my previous letters,

that that's the way the law game is. First good, then bad, and then wonderful. Still have hopes for a good month for March, as I still have a week to make good. I am waiting for that Notary Publiship and won't neglect going to see the Squire. As for L. Taylor if he doesn't turn over that proposition to me, all well and good. I won't lose any sleep over it. So-night I expect I will find out definitely about Pristine Brother's boots. I think I'll land it. I am pretty sure, honey love, we'll manage through the summer months.

So you were rather disappointed in Laurie's sister? I thought you would be [redacted] remember how disappointed we were in Adai's cousin. I don't approve of you being seen with any Bolshevic radicals, so if he, the one who escorted you to the hospital, shows ever again call on you, please tell him where he heads in, and that you are "not at home" to him, but, anyway, I am glad you thoroughly enjoyed yourself.

Honey, in my answer to your big letter, I wanted to write something, but I forgot. Don't fail to attend to your teeth, hear? Go up to Kamin and have them attended to, as I don't care to have you suffer from anything, ~~least~~ of all, your teeth, so do that, want you, love.

Well, love, will close now, with all my love, hugs, and kisses, to you, my darling wifie, whom I expect soon, soon, very soon, to see,

Ever lovingly your own

Hubby